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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT FILLMORE FIELD OFFICE 35 East 500 North Fillmore, Utah 84631



In Reply Refer to: 3800 (U-010) UTU-070642

March 13, 2007

DAVID HANSON BOX 378 EUREKA UT 84628

Dear Mr. Hanson:

Notice UTU-070642 was filed with this office on January 10, 1990. § 3809.300(a) of the Surface Management regulations requires that an operator wishing to extend his/her notice which was on file as of January 20, 2001, notify the BLM in writing on or before the expiration date, January 20, 2003, and meet the financial guarantee requirements of § 3809.503. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) did not receive written notification that you wished to extend your notice by January 20, 2003 (extended to January 21, 2003 due to a federal holiday). Because you did not meet the requirements under § 3809.333, your notice, UTU-070642, expired on January 20, 2003.

Through a letter dated April 1, 2003 you were notified of the expiration of the notice and required to reclaim the site by removing any explosive or toxic items from the mine shaft and surrounding area, remove any personal items and all other debris from the area, and to permanently seal the mine shaft. Through a letter dated May 21, 2003 you were given 30 days to remove the personal property or it would become the property of the Federal Government.

Between May 2004 and October 2004 some removal of equipment and clean-up of the site was performed by the Millard County Sheriff's Posse and a BLM fire crew. In reviewing the file it appears that the activities of the operators of the notice were limited to cleaning out the underground workings, no mining activity occurred; disturbance as it currently exists at the site occurred some time in the 1950's. In a recent telephone conversation with Mr. Tom Munson of the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (UDOGM) I understand you wish to close your permit with UDOGM.

Unless you object and notify me within 30 days I will begin the process of closing Notice UTU 70642 and referring further reclamation of the site to the Abandoned Mine Lands Program.

Please contact Jerry Mansfield, Geologist, at (435) 743-3125 of the Fillmore Field Office with any concerns or questions involving this matter.

Sincerely,

Sherry K. Hirst

Field Office Manager

Cc: Tom Munson, UDOGM (E/023/059)

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